



Morgantown Police Department

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NEWS RELEASE

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UPDATE

“Robbery Suspect Arrested”

On April 28, 2016 at approximately 1:26 am, Officers from the Morgantown Police Department responded to 2942 University Avenue for a reported robbery. It was reported to the officers at the scene that a white male entered the BFS store and confronted the cashier demanding money. The suspect represented that he was armed with a handgun at the time.

The suspect took an undisclosed amount of money and fled the scene on foot. The suspect is described as a white male, approximately 5’ 9” tall and was last seen wearing a grey in color hooded sweatshirt with a dark blue undershirt and blue pants.

Detectives of the Morgantown Police Department and Officers of the WV University Police Department were able to identify the suspect in this incident as Michael Nicholas Shelton, 23 years of age of Windber Borough PA.

At approximately 5:30 am on May 2, 2016, SHELTON surrendered to authorities in Windber Borough and has been charged with First Degree Robbery. SHELTON is currently in custody and will be extradited to WV and arraigned at a later date.

The Morgantown Police Department is committed to its goal of eliminating crime in our city. Citizens are encouraged to become a **“Partner in Policing”**, by reporting suspected criminal activity to Morgantown Police Department Switchboard at (304) 284-7522. If you need immediate Police attention or a crime is in progress call 911.

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